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To:Tomlinson, Jamie
Cc:Harb, Zeina;Beaudoin, Denis
Subject:RE: Freezing of accounts

Good morning

The list that was provided to the Financial Institutions included identities of individuals that were influencers in the illegal protest in Ottawa and owners and or drivers of vehicles that did not want to leave the area impacted by the protest. At no time, we provided a list of donators to the Financial Institutions.

We are now working with the banks to build a process to address the accounts that were frozen.

I hope this can help you.

Michel

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Good morning,

Questions are being asked with respect to the freezing of accounts.

We are seeing this as an issue in media and social media and the Commissioner is appearing before parliamentary committee tomorrow so we are looking at ways to respond to this issue. To give you an example, an Ontario MP is claiming that someone in her constituency had her bank account frozen for buying a \$20 Freedom Convoy t-shirt.

Are we able to provide some scope or additional context, such as the financial products frozen thus far originate in X province(s) or have to cross a certain threshold.

Many thanks.

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